

## UNITED STATES OR UNITED HELL, SALT BRIGHAM

### DEFENDANCE FOR MORMON KINGDOM HERE

Teaching and Practice of Every Prophet, Seer and Revelator of the Dominant Church in Utah.

### FOR DISRUPTION OF THE UNION

sermons Are a Nation All by themselves, Says Their Alien and Defiant Ruler.

Governments and to Be destroyed.

views, the official organ of the church, has recently declared that the Mormon church is the literal kingdom of God on earth.

of the teachings of the church, it can be established in Young down to the leaders and representatives of the Mormon church have reached, who thus becomes the absolute autocrat of this kingdom on earth.

the fact of the matter is that when a man says he is a prophet, he is claiming to be a prophet of God, and he is claiming to be a prophet of God.

In a sermon on June 21, 1883, as found in volume 24, Journal of Discourses, page 188, Joseph F. Smith, then an apostle, said:

The Church of God has been organized, the Kingdom of God has been established, and the gospel has been restored to the earth for the last time; and this work, which has fairly begun will never cease, but will continue to spread abroad and increase in the earth, and in the hearts of the people, until the Kingdom of God shall be established on earth, and the Kingdom of God shall be established on earth.

And in a sermon on April 8, 1879, he said, as recorded in Journal of Discourses, volume 29, page 342:

We belong to a temporal as well as a spiritual kingdom, and it is very necessary that we should take a lively interest in whatever tends to build up the Kingdom of God, temporal as well as spiritual, and spiritual as well as temporal.

present ruler of this ecclesiastical kingdom, is not alone in his declarations that this is a veritable and literal kingdom, let us put on record some of his confessions and predecessors.

Anthony H. Lund, now second counselor to Joseph F. Smith in the presidency of the Mormon church, in a sermon delivered October 6, 1888, while he was an apostle, said, as published in the official minutes of that conference:

I see the Lord is working with the nations, and his work will grow in the earth, and all the opposition in the world will not stop it. He has revealed his will to man. He has established his Kingdom upon the earth, and it will grow until it becomes, as Daniel saw, a kingdom that will fill the whole earth.

Francis M. Lyman, who is at present the senior apostle and hence president of the quorum of twelve apostles, and who, according to the custom of the Mormon church, is a custom for which there is no law in their books, and this according to the testimony of Joseph F. Smith at Washington, became the next president of the Mormon church, providing he survives Joseph F. Smith, in a sermon on April 6, 1900, a report of which is found on page 7 of the published conference minutes of that year, said:

As President Snow has said, we are gathered together for the building up of the Kingdom of God upon the earth.

received the kingdom of God, established on the earth.

So far, Editor Penrose seems to be alone in his saying that the kingdom which the Latter-day Saints preach about is still in the future. In fact, some twenty years ago or more, he was speaking of this "kingdom," and spoke in the present tense of its establishment, as is shown by the following excerpt from a sermon he delivered on July 25, 1884, as recorded in Journal of Discourses, volume 25, pages 223, 224 and 225:

That which is called by the Latter-day Saints the Priesthood, is the authority given of God to men to act in his name. All these plans and schemes, all that legislation and these influences that are brought to bear on this church, upon this system called by the world "Mormonism," is brought to bear in consequence of the restoration of that power and that authority. It is the authority of the kingdom. It is here to stay. It is here to prevail. First it will prevail upon the earth, and then it will prevail upon the whole world. It will prevail upon the whole world, and then it will prevail upon the whole universe.

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"This business is now progressing in accordance with Anglo-Saxon traditions," he said. "Twenty thousand soldiers starting here while women and children of the country are starving and awaiting massacre eight miles away; military and naval officers meanwhile wasting time in bickering over petty politics, is a sorry spectacle. The provision in this regard on the reputation of every commanding officer here if the white people in Peking are allowed to perish without a desperate effort to save them."

As he well carries the remainder of the day, he will be a dark blot on the reputation of every commanding officer here if the white people in Peking are allowed to perish without a desperate effort to save them."

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### AMERICAN PROFESSOR LOSES JOB IN CHINA

Public Feeling Forces the Viceroy to Discharge Foreign Educator.

PEKING, Feb. 3.—Yuan Shi Kai, Viceroy of Chihli Province, has discharged Prof. C. D. Tenney, the foreign director of education, who organized the new school system in this province and with it the entire staff of the school for the empire. Strong opposition has arisen lately to foreign management of the schools, and particularly against Dr. Tenney because he is an American.

Yuan Shi Kai told Mr. Tenney that he appreciated his work, but Yuan Shi Kai has so many enemies that he could not afford to keep him.

Reviewing the Boycott.

The boycott agitation against American goods is being revived. When it began Mr. Rockhill, the American Minister, and the American Consul urged the Chinese to wait until Congress had time to act on their demands, and the failure of Congress has aroused their resentment.

Strong pressure has been brought to bear upon the Government to remove E. B. Drew, the Commissioner of Customs at Canton, who is considered one of the worst men in the establishment of Sir Robert Hart, Director-General of Maritime Customs, because he is an American.

Figured in Boxer War.

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### SUPREME COURT OF IDAHO UNTIES KNOT

Decision Settles Controversy Between Two Northern Counties of State.

BOTH PARTIES TO SUIT WERE AWARDED POINTS

Action Was to Compel Issuance of Warrants Amounting to \$60,655.

Special to The Tribune.

BOISE, Feb. 4.—In the case of Shoshone county vs. Nez Perce county the Supreme court has just handed down a decision in which both parties won points. The writ of mandate prayed for by Shoshone county was granted, and Nez Perce county was ordered to issue warrants for the amount of \$60,655, a sum found by accounts to be due the latter county, and this is ordered issued by court. The court finds, however, in favor of Nez Perce county in its contention that the portion of Shoshone county annexed to Nez Perce shall pay the indebtedness represented by the warrants. The court holds that the warrants will be an obligation of Nez Perce county only as agent for Shoshone county in the collection of taxes in the annexed district levied by Shoshone county and certified to Nez Perce county for collection.

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The recent success of the American party in Salt Lake has evidently accomplished one thing, and that is the bringing together of the various business interests in that city, and the determination on the part of all classes to work together to harmony for the advancement of Salt Lake.

ABOUT IDAHO CAPITAL

Various Items of Interest Picked Up in Boise.

Special to The Tribune.

BOISE, Feb. 4.—Mal. Fred Reed, the builder, has been notified by the city of Boise that he has been elected to the position of city engineer.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRE

Lady Grey of London, wife of Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Minister, who sustained a fracture of the brain by being thrown from her car at Kilmacshann, Northumberland, last night, died today, without having regained consciousness.

### HOPE FOR EARLY VOTE ON STATEHOOD BILL

Both Supporters and Opponents of Measure Are Determined on Fight.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 4.—Senator Beveridge will again have charge of the Statehood bill and is hopeful of securing a comparatively early vote, but many of his colleagues fail to agree with him on that point.

The supporters of the bill are strenuous in its advocacy and their opponents are just as determined. It is not generally expected that either side will yield until there is more definite information as to the probable result of a vote than can now be secured.

Stick on Forker Amendment.

The critical point of controversy will be the Forker amendment, giving the Arizona people the privilege of voting on the question of admission. It is understood that the Democratic Senators will be almost a unit in support of this amendment and that it will also secure a number of Republican votes.

Friends May Yield.

If the showing should be favorable to the enactment, the friends of the bill may not press the vote, but in view of the fact that they would, even in that case, be sure of the admission of Oklahoma, they might not be so determined as their opponents.

DEATH VALLEY SCOTTY

"BUTTS" INTO SOCIETY

Spends Money With Both Hands in Fashionable Philadelphia Cafe.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 4.—Walter Scott, "Scotty the Death Valley Croesus," has "batted" into society. And he has done it with the characteristic easy stride of the devil-may-care Californian.

He Makes an Impression.

"Scotty" thought it was up to him to make an impression.

VIOLATED THE U. S. LAWS

Indiana Man Fined \$100 for Soliciting Campaign Funds.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 4.—Pleading guilty to a charge of having violated the United States laws which forbid the solicitation of money to be used for political campaign funds, Col. W. W. Huffman of Anderson, formerly a member of the Republican State Central committee, was fined \$100 by Judge Albert B. Anderson in the United States District court.

### BLOODY SPECTACLE "HONORS" OFFICIALS

Brilliant Throng of Embassadors See Bull Fight in Morocco.

AMERICAN AND BRITISH DELEGATES NOT THERE

Fight Arranged for Reform Conference, and Many Women of Rank Attend.

ALGERIRAS, Feb. 4.—The brilliant though bloody spectacle of a bull fight in honor of the conference on Morocco reforms was the event of today. Crowds came from all parts of Andalusia to the vast stone amphitheater where the bull ring is and more than 6000 persons saw the fight.

Embassadors in Boxes.

A box gaily decorated with the Spanish colors accommodated the Embassadors and officials of many countries. Most of the delegations to the conference were represented and many of the envoys were accompanied by their wives and daughters.

Americans Not There.

The American and British delegates did not attend.

Bull Kills Blind Horse.

The second bull was ceremoniously dedicated to the Duke of Almodovar by Matador Morenia, which is the custom of the country.

Picadors Often Thrown.

The picadors were often unhorsed, but none of them was seriously hurt.

KING IS OBEDIENT

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria Refuses to Consider Demands.

VIENNA, Feb. 4.—The negotiations for the settlement of the Balkan situation ended in a complete failure today and Count Juscelino Andressy, one of the leaders of the coalition parties, returned to Budapest after a lengthy interview with the Emperor-King, who refused to accept the modified programme of the coalition.

WEATHER REPORT

Yesterday's report at the local office of the weather bureau.

Maximum temperature, 24 deg.; minimum temperature, 21 deg.; mean temperature, 22 deg., which is 1 deg. below the normal.